

To be sung from Dr. C. S. D.

Grand

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# *A collection of* *Negro Melodies* *as sung by* **WINNEMORE** *& his band of* *Serenaders* *Arranged for the* **PIANO-FORTE BY AUGUSTUS CLAPP.**

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## OLD UNCLE NED.

*Moderato.*

There was an old Nigger and his name was Uncle Ned, He is dead long ago long a-go

He had no wool on de top ob his head, In de place whar de wool ought to grow

Old Uncle Ned. 3.



Lay down de shubble and de hoe..... Hang up de fiddle and de bow;

No more hard work for poor Old Ned, He is gone whar de good niggars go

## CHORUS.

Air. Lay down de shubble and de hoe..... Hang up de fiddle and de bow;

Alto. Lay down de shubble and de hoe..... Hang up de fiddle and de bow;

Tenor. Lay down de shubble and de hoe..... Hang up de fiddle and de bow;

Bass. Lay down de shubble and de hoe..... Hang up de fiddle and de bow;



The musical score consists of two systems. The first system has two vocal staves (treble and bass clef) with the lyrics "No more hard work for poor Old Ned He is gone whar de good niggars go" written below them. The second system has a piano accompaniment with a grand staff (treble and bass clef) and a single vocal staff (treble clef) with the same lyrics. The piano part features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the bass and chords in the treble.

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His fingers were as long as de cane in de brake,  
 And he had no eyes for to see,  
 He had no teeth for to eat de corn cake  
 So he had to let de corn cake be!  
 Lay down de shubble &c.

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When old Ned die Massa take it wery bad,  
 And his tears run down like de rain,  
 Old Missus cry and she look'd wery sad,  
 Kase she neber see de Old man again.  
 Lay down de shubble &c.



